

## **IOWA BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS PRESS RELEASE**

**For release, October 22, 2003**

**Ted A. Bonebrake, M.D.**, a 37 year-old physician practicing in Creston, Iowa, entered into a Settlement Agreement and Final Order with the Board to resolve pending disciplinary charges. Dr. Bonebrake was charged by the Board for violating the terms of his Iowa Physician Health Program (IPHP) monitoring agreement when he tested positive for marijuana on several occasions, failed to fully comply with the IPHP's drug screening program and failed to attend required aftercare meetings. Under the terms of the Settlement Agreement, Dr. Bonebrake must immediately submit to residential substance abuse evaluation and treatment and his Iowa medical license is placed on probation for a period of five (5) years subject to certain terms and conditions due to substance abuse.